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Applicant: Hammond et al.  
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Examiner: Bryce P. Bonzo  
Art Unit: 2114

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application please find the following listed items.

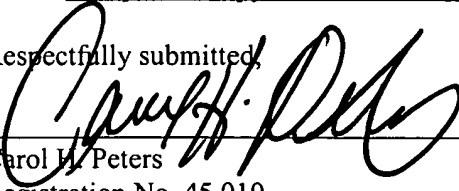
Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- (1) ISSUE FEE TRANSMITTAL LETTER;
- (2) APPLICANTS' COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE;
- (3) LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN;
- (4) THREE (3) SHEETS OF FORMAL DRAWINGS "REPLACEMENT SHEETS" INCLUDING FIGURES 1-3;
- (5) CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1730 TO COVER THE LARGE ENTITY REQUISITE FEES (PATENT ISSUE FEE - \$1400; PUBLICATION FEE - \$300; AND TEN EXTRA COPIES OF THE ISSUED PATENT - \$30); AND
- (6) RETURN POSTCARD.

Should any of the items identified above be missing from this submission, the Office is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617-348-4914.

If the amount of the enclosed check is insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the balance required, or any overpayment, to the deposit account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, referencing Attorney Docket No. 18133-075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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APPLICANTS' COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Applicants thank the Examiner for the allowance of claims 1-26. The Examiner did not include any reasons for allowance of the claims in the Notice of Allowability. Applicants assert that the claims may contain one or more features mentioned or not mentioned by the Examiner that independently, or when combined, may be sufficient to establish the patentability of one or more of the claims.

Applicants reserve the right to introduce, articulate, or otherwise present any such reasons for allowance as may be appropriate concerning the claims.

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LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

Sir:

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, enclosed for filing in the patent application identified above are three (3) sheets of Formal Drawings "Replacement Sheets", including Figures 1-3.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at telephone 617/348-4914.

**The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required in connection with this submission of Formal Drawings to the deposit account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, referencing Attorney Docket No. 18133-075. A duplicate copy of this Letter is enclosed herein for this purpose.**

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